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Office Action Summary

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Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 29 August 2003.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-30 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1-30 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:
- ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 - ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 - ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

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DETAILED ACTION

1. This action is in response to the application filed 8/29/2003.
2. Claims 1-30 have been examined and are pending in the application.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112

The following is a quotation of the second paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112:

The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the applicant regards as his invention.

3. Claims 7-9 and 22-25 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

The following terms lack antecedent basis:

- (i) said GSR binding encoding information – line 2 claim 7.

Correction is required.

- (ii) said GSR binding encoding information – line 2 claim 22.

Correction is required.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

(e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section

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351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

4. Claims 1-30 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Hodges U.S Publication No. 2004/0123232.

As to claim 1, Hodges teaches (Fig. 3) a method for creating a dynamic client side service proxy framework using meta-data and introspection capabilities of Open Grid Services Architecture (Open Grid Services Architecture, paragraph 0038 page 3) service data, the method comprising:

defining an Open Grid Service Invocation Factory configured to create a service proxy (paragraph 0038 page 3);

introspecting an Open Grid Service Infrastructure service based on information exposed by the service (paragraph 0043 page 4); and

creating an OGSi Service Invocation Proxy defining a set of dynamic interfaces based on said service introspection and a meta-data inspection interface of said Service Invocation Proxy (paragraph 0044 page 4);

wherein said Service Invocation Proxy exposes both static port type interfaces and dynamic interfaces to support more flexibility of the client (paragraph 0046 page 4).

As to claim 2, Hodges further teaches said OGSi service based information includes service data elements, port types, Grid Service Reference (GSR) values, operation extensibility parameters (paragraph 0043 page 4).

As to claim 3, Hodges further teaches said dynamic interface includes a minimum of a Grid Service port type (paragraph 0046 page 4).

As to claim 4, Hodges further teaches said Service Invocation Proxy provides inspection features on the service including at least one of: service implemented port types, static and dynamic service data types, Qnames, and language specific types (paragraph 0047 page 4).

As to claim 5, Hodges further teaches said static port type interfaces include at least one of a port type and service interface (paragraph 0046 page 4).

As to claim 6, Hodges further teaches said dynamic interfaces include a common set of programming patterns (paragraph 0046 page 4).

As to claim 7, Hodges further teaches binding choices based on said GSR binding encoding information that is hidden from the client (paragraph 0047 page 4).

As to claim 8, Hodges further teaches said GSR encoding includes Web Services Description Language (WSDL), WSIF, JAX-RPC and CORBA IOR (paragraphs 0025-0026 page 2).

As to claim 9, Hodges further teaches said encoding is configured to support multiple transport binding information including SOAP/HTTP and SOAP/JMS (paragraphs 0025-0026 page 2).

As to claim 10, Hodges further teaches refreshing said Service Invocation Proxy based on GSR lifetime information (paragraph 0043 page 4).

As to claim 11, Hodges further teaches said framework further comprises creation of a service data language types from extensible markup language schema types at runtime (paragraph 0022 page 2).

As to claim 12, Hodges further teaches said framework further comprises a pass through interface mechanism for web service call properties including security, transaction, logging and other information (paragraph 0024 page 2).

As to claim 13, Hodges further teaches said framework further comprises a caching mechanism for service types and GSR framework (paragraph 0043 page 4).

As to claim 14, Hodges further teaches said caching mechanism optimizes performance by avoiding round-trips to the service (paragraph 0043 page 4).

As to claim 15, Hodges further teaches said framework further comprises an introspection mechanism on service calls configured to support common programming "aspects" as defined by Aspect Oriented Programming concepts (paragraphs 0023-0025 page 2).

As to claims 16-30, they are system claims of claims 1-15, respectively. Therefore, they are rejected for the same reasons as claims 1-15 above.

Conclusion

The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Andy Ho whose telephone number is (571) 272-3762. A voice mail service is also available for this number. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday – Friday, 8:30 am – 5:00 pm.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, William Thomson can be reached on (571) 272-3718.

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